## Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of	)
Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc.	) File Number: EB-FIELDSCR-12-0000515
Owner of Antenna Structure No. 1032116	)
	) NOV Number: V201332560001
Wichita, Kansas	

## NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Released: November 6, 2012

By the District Director, Kansas City Office, South Central Region, Enforcement Bureau:

- 1. This is a Notice of Violation (Notice) issued pursuant to Section 1.89 of the Commission's Rules (Rules)<sup>1</sup> to Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc., owner of antenna structure # 1032116 in Wichita, Kansas. Pursuant to Section 1.89(a) of the Rules, issuance of this NOV does not preclude the Enforcement Bureau from further action if warranted, including issuing a Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture for the violation(s) noted herein.<sup>2</sup>
- 2. On October 22, 2012, an agent of the Commission's Kansas City Office inspected antenna structure number 1032116 located at 2829 Salina Ave., Wichita, Kansas, and observed the following violation(s):
  - a. 47 C.F.R.§17.50: "Antenna structures requiring painting under this part shall be cleaned or repainted as often as necessary to maintain good visibility." At the time of inspection, the paint on this structure was faded and bare metal could be seen in several places. Following the inspection, Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc. hired a contractor to paint the structure.
- 3. Pursuant to Section 403 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended,<sup>3</sup> and Section 1.89 of the Rules, we seek additional information concerning the violations and any remedial actions taken. Therefore Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc. must submit a written statement concerning this matter within twenty (20) days of release of this Notice. The response (i) must fully explain each violation, including all relevant surrounding facts and circumstances, (ii) must contain a statement of the specific action(s) taken to correct each violation and preclude recurrence, and (iii) must include a time line for completion of any pending corrective action(s).

<sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.89(a).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>47 C.F.R. § 1.89.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 403.

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The response must be complete in itself and must not be abbreviated by reference to other communications or answers to other notices.<sup>4</sup>

4. In accordance with Section 1.16 of the Rules, we direct Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc. to support its response to this Notice with an affidavit or declaration under penalty of perjury, signed and dated by an authorized officer of Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc. with personal knowledge of the representations provided in Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc.'s response, verifying the truth and accuracy of the information therein,<sup>5</sup> and confirming that all of the information requested by this Notice which is in the licensee's possession, custody, control, or knowledge has been produced. To knowingly and willfully make any false statement or conceal any material fact in reply to this Notice is punishable by fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the U.S. Code.<sup>6</sup> All replies and documentation sent in response to this Notice should be marked with the File No. and NOV No. specified above, and mailed to the following address:

Federal Communications Commission Kansas City Office 520 N.E. Colbern Rd. 2nd Floor Lees Summit, MO 64086-4711

5. This Notice shall be sent to Journal Broadcast Group of Kansas, Inc. at its address of record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.89(c).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Section 1.16 of the Rules provides that "[a]ny document to be filed with the Federal Communications Commission and which is required by any law, rule or other regulation of the United States to be supported, evidenced, established or proved by a written sworn declaration, verification, certificate, statement, oath or affidavit by the person making the same, may be supported, evidenced, established or proved by the unsworn declaration, certification, verification, or statement in writing of such person . . . . Such declaration shall be subscribed by the declarant as true under penalty of perjury, and dated, in substantially the following form . . . : 'I declare (or certify, verify, or state) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on (date). (Signature)'." 47 C.F.R. § 1.16.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> 18 U.S.C. § 1001 et seq. See also 47 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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6. The Privacy Act of 1974<sup>7</sup> requires that we advise you that the Commission will use all relevant material information before it, including any information disclosed in your reply, to determine what, if any, enforcement action is required to ensure compliance. Any false statement made knowingly and willfully in reply to this Notice is punishable by fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the U.S. Code.<sup>8</sup>

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Ronald D. Ramage District Director Kansas City Office South Central Region Enforcement Bureau

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>P.L. 93-579, 5 U.S.C. § 552a(e)(3).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>18 U.S.C. § 1001 et seq.